

ST. GABRIEL CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend
Saturday—5pm (Vigil Mass)
Sunday—8am, 10am & 5:30pm

Weekday
Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri—8:30am

RECONCILIATION

Every first Saturday at 3:30pm in the Church with individual confession and absolution

For information on Baptism, Marriage, Sunday School, Anointing of the Sick, Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) or Confirmation, please call the Parish Center.

OUR MISSION

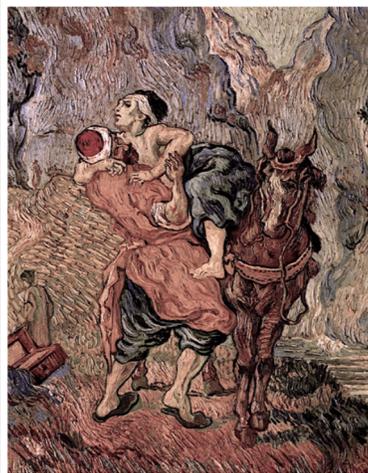
As a worshipping, believing, and caring community, St. Gabriel Parish participates in the mission of Jesus Christ, remembered most intensely at Sunday Assembly through proclamation of The Word and the sharing of the Eucharistic Meal. This Community, so nourished, lives its faith in prayer, education and outreach.

WELCOME!

Would you like to register in our parish? Please go to www.sgparish.org and click on the "Register Online" link or you may call the Parish Center and we'll send you a form!

July 13, 2025 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Readings: Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14,17,30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Ps 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10: 25-37



Van Gogh, *The Good Samaritan* 1849, detail
(Modeled on a painting by Delacroix)

In today's Gospel passage, from Luke, we read the well-known parable of the Good Samaritan. Here, Jesus teaches us in rich detail what stewardship in action looks like. In fact, this parable could just as accurately be called the parable of the Good Steward.

The first thing we note about the Good Samaritan is that he is aware of the needs of those around him and responds generously. While the priest and Levi brush right past the man on the side of the road, the Samaritan is watching for those who might be in need. He has a hospitable way of looking at the world around him and so he is able to "see" in a way that the others did not, and he was "moved with compassion at the sight" of the man.

Next, we see the Good Samaritan spring into action to serve this man, setting aside his own schedule and plans to meet his needs. He does not just give the man a few dollars or offer quick words of encouragement from across the road. He goes right up to the man. He cleans and bandages his wounds. He puts the man on his own animal and brings him to an inn where he can heal. He ensures the innkeeper would continue to look after him, and he commits to returning to the man on his way back.

That is how we live out God's commandments.

That is true hospitality and service.

That is how a good steward springs into action when he comes upon a neighbor in need. And Jesus says to each of us personally, just as He did in today's Gospel, "Go and do likewise."

Catholic Stewardship Consultants, www.Catholicsteward.com

ACTING WITH MERCY

But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. (Lk. 10:33-34)

Question of the Week

Adults: *When have you gone out of your way to help a stranger in need?*

Kids: *Would you help a new student, who needed help? Why or why not?*

MASS INTENTIONS

JULY 14 - 20, 2025

Mon.	8:30 am	Concepcion Capistrano
Tues.	8:30 am	Doris Bilodeau
Wed.	8:30 am	No Service
Thurs.	8:30 am	Carmen Orque
Fri.	8:30 am	Eva Figoni
Sat.	5:00 pm	Dionisio Espulgar, Jr.
Sun.	8:00 am	Collective Mass
	10:00 am	Eden Marania (L)
	5:30 pm	For the Parishioners

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

In the coming week we ask for your prayers for the following: Joan Aragone, Denise Foley, Virginia Fox, Debbie Gaffney, Lottie Gonzales, and Emo Lieu.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

July 5-6, 2025

Envelopes: \$3,467

Online Giving: \$2,837

Loose: \$959

Total Offertory: \$7,263

2025 ANNUAL APPEAL

Thank you to everyone who has already contributed or pledged to the Appeal. **We are at 38% of our goal with 70 families out of our 1100+ registered families donating. Our campaign goal is \$82,537 and we still need \$51,298 to meet our assessment.** There are envelopes in church or at the Parish Center for your consideration or you may donate online at www.sfarch.org/aaa and choose St. Gabriel Church as your church of designation.



Raveena Mann, Will O'Hara & Daniel Maguire



2025 FR. TOM CLASSIC

The St. Gabriel Men's Club First Annual Fr. Tom Golf Tournament was held on Thursday, May 22. It was a huge success as our golfers turned out for an afternoon of golf and fun in great weather and a beautifully conditioned Crystal Springs golf course. This event was able to raise **\$10,985** for our St. Gabriel Parish. One thousand dollars from the proceeds was used for The Fr. Tom Hamilton Memorial Scholarship. The winners of the scholarship, Daniel Maguire and Raveena Mann, both received \$500 each and will both be attending Sacred Heart Cathedral Preparatory in the fall to continue their Catholic education. We want to extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone who made this event possible. First, a huge thank you to all the golfers who came out and made the day so enjoyable. Your participation truly makes a difference and we love seeing everyone out on the course. Thank you Men's Club Golf Committee Forrest Wittenmeier, Jeff Tom, Jason Yee, Marc Bargary, Mark Anderson and Golf Tournament Chairs Chris DiGiacomo and Roland Abad, who spent hours making this first tournament a success. We also want to recognize all of our incredible sponsors who made this event happen:

Thank You Sponsors!

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We are excited to grow this event next year. If you or your company would like information for future sponsorship or volunteer opportunities, please contact William O'Hara at sgmensclubsf@gmail.com.



Tee Party: Men's Club Edition